

STATE OF NEW YORK

LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY

BUFFALO, N.Y., NOVEMBER 4, 2021 A.D.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT at a regular session of the Legislature of Erie County held in the County Hall, in the City of Buffalo, on the 4th day of November, 2021 A.D., a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:

Honoring Alden Pharmacy as a Small Town Pharmacy and More

WHEREAS, since 1911, the building at Broadway and Exchange Street in Alden has been operating as a pharmacy; and

WHEREAS, the Alden Pharmacy is a landmark in the Village of Alden, a local treasure open seven days a week; and

WHEREAS, the Alden Pharmacy was purchased by a pharmacist and lifelong resident of Alden Ronald Smith in 1985; and

WHEREAS, the Alden Pharmacy was operated by Ronald Smith until his unexpected passing in 2012, now his daughter Kara Smith runs the pharmacy and continues her father's legacy and the store's traditions; and

WHEREAS, the Alden Pharmacy is a full-service local pharmacy and gift shop with a friendly staff offering free local delivery, immunizations, vitamins, greeting cards, everyday home products, home décor, apparel, and local gifts; and

WHEREAS, the Alden Pharmacy is customer-oriented offering personal one-on-one consultations, and an easy-to-use automated prescription refill system; and

WHEREAS, a customer states she loves that the Alden Pharmacy is a small-town pharmacy, family-owned and operated. Unlike the chain stores, where a customer is just a number, Alden Pharmacy knows customers by name and it is apparent they care very much about each customer's overall health needs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Erie County Legislature pauses in its deliberations to celebrate the Alden Pharmacy as a landmark destination serving the Alden community for over 100 years, and thank them for their continued dedication to the community.

Hon. Frank J. Todaro
Erie County Legislator, 8th District